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1. The reply filed on August 27, 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

Under the "Remarks" of applicant's Amendment of August 27, 2003 (Paper No. 29) a terminal disclaimer(s) is referred to but was not included or is presently in the file. It is further deemed that applicant's manner of submitting the terminal disclaimer, i.e., "as a separate document" is less expedient or helpful than submitting the amendment and terminal disclaimer in a single communication. See 37 CFR 1.111.

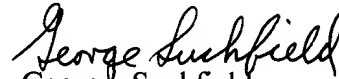
Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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